

WHITEFIELD (G.) An interesting A. L. s. written shortly before embarking for America, referring to General Johnson, signed "G.W." 1768 (defective); A. L. s. from Count Zinzendorff (Moravian) to G. Watts, in Latin, referring to "Nova Anglia," 4to, Dec. 1738; A. L. s. from E. Pemberton to Dr. Dodderidge, New York, Dec. 16, 1743, etc.

**H 22/12/21. Maggs, £3 3s**

WILDE (Oscar) A. L. s. 3 pp. 8vo, Paris, n. d. (worn at the folds), to Leonard Smithers, mentioning Mrs. Brown Potter: "I would also wish she would not repeat anything about the Venice jaunt in the late spring." **S 23/5/22. Monk, £3 5s**

WILKES (John) A. L. s. 3½ pp. 4to, n. d. [1749], to Thomas Edwards, Esq., with fine seal:

"... The Foundling [Tom Jones] Fielding's new romance in the manner of Joseph Andrews, we shall have next week. Coriolanus and Mahomet and Irene will be acted some time this month"—etc.

Thomas Edwards, 1699-1757, is chiefly remembered on account of his controversy with Warburton; he had many literary friends, including Samuel Richardson, the novelist.

**S 29/3/22. Maggs, 12s**

WILKIE (Sir David) Three A. Ls. s. 3 pp. 4to, 1831, to Lord Melville, announcing that his portrait of George IV. is now finished and ready to be sent for Holyrood Palace.

**S 23/5/22. Solomon, 10s**

WILLIAM IV.—A. L. s. 1½ p. 4to, 1824.—A. L. s. 3 pp. 4to, 1825, both relating to his son Lord Augustus FitzClarence.—

—A. L. s. 1½ pp. 8vo, to Lord Melbourne *in re* the destruction of King William's statue, Dublin, 1836.—Mansfield (Earl of) A. L. s. 7½ pp. 4to, 1811. **P 9/2/22. Maggs, 15s**

—Canning, Wellington, Aberdeen, Ernest, King of Hanover, Granville, Anna Queen of the Netherlands, Peel, Stratford de Redcliffe and numerous others; all addressed to Sir Charles Bagot, Gov. Gen. of Canada.

**S 21/6/22. Stedman, £5**

—Great Seal, in yellow wax, attached to a Privy Seal writ granting a patent to James Buckingham; preserved in a tin box, fine.

**P 9/2/22. Maggs, £2**

WINDEBANK (Sir Francis, Secretary of State) A. L. s. 3 pp. folio, Drury Lane, July 16, 1639, to King Charles I., referring to a Scottish merchant, one Cunningham, who declared himself a Covenanter, and who declined to take the oath; with marginal notes in the King's hand:

"For this Covenanter you shall doe well to offer him the Oathes of Allegience and Supremacie, wch if he doe, let him slipe away, otherwais, a God's name, lett him by it. Tell the Tresorer, that I have comanded Hen. Vane to answer his that came with this, C.R."

**S 17/5/22. Edwards, £9**

WITS AND HUMORISTS. A. L. s. of John Leech, G. du Maurier, Sir F. C. Burnand (2), Theodore Hook (2), Sir W. S. Gilbert (2), Rev. Sydney Smith, Charles Keene, etc.; with one portrait.

**S 29/3/22. Maggs, £1 5s**

WORDSWORTH (William) Holo. Letter of 3 pp. to R[obert] P[earse] Gillies, King Street, Edinburgh, discussing a poet's mental attitude and methods, and criticising Burns, Cowper,